

FISCAL NOTE

HB 2807 - SB 2803

March 4, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides that a health care provider or insurer is responsible for paying the reasonable costs of reproducing and mailing medical records from another health care provider whether or not the patient signed a release authorizing the disclosure of the records.

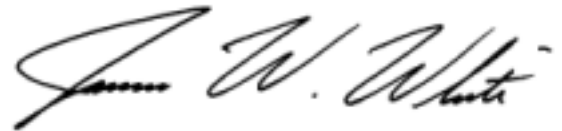
ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

The Department of Health currently charges actual cost for reproducing medical records.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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